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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: PCT International Application No. PCT/JP01/05898

Filed on

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Title:

SPRING, DRIVE MECHANISM, DEVICE AND TIMEPIECE USING THE SPRING

in the name of Inventor: Tatsuo Hara

CERTIFIC	CATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.10
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with the United States Postal Service on this da	Filing Requirements and executed Declaration are being deposited te in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service ove and is addressed to the Box PCT, Commissioner of Patents and Virginia Silva

# COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (IF APPLICABLE)

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	As of this time we have not received a Missing Requirements Notice (PCT/DO/EO/905) for this application.					
$\boxtimes$	This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371, mailed May 14, 2002. A copy of the Notice is enclosed.					
$\boxtimes$	Enclosed is the original declaration of the applicant for filing in the above-identified patent application. Please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-2746 in the amount of \$130 for the late fee charge under 37 CFR 1.16(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required relative to filing of this paper and during the pendency of this application to Account No. 19-2746, required under 37 CFR 1.16(a), (b), (c), (d) or (f), as well as for any petition required under 37 CFR 1.17(h). Enclosed is an extra copy of this transmittal letter for the purpose of making this charge.					
	This is also a petition for an extension of time for a total period of months to respond to the Office Letter mailed on for completion of filing requirements. A response required in connection with the matter for which the extension is requested is being filed herewith.					
	Calculation of extension fee	Total N	Months Requested	Fee		
			<ul><li>(1) One Month</li><li>(2) Two Months</li><li>(3) Three Months</li><li>(4) Four Months</li></ul>	\$110 \$400 \$920 \$1440		
	If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor together with authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 19-2746 for any additional extension fee.					
$\boxtimes$	Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time. Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2746 for the extension fee.					
	Enclosed is an English Translation charge Deposit Account No. 19-274 37 CFR 1.17(i). Enclosed is an extra	16 in the	amount of \$00.00 for the	English Translation filing fee set fo		

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Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2746 in the amount of \$ .00 for the additional claim fee set forth in Section 2 of the notice. Enclosed is an extra copy of this transmittal letter for the purpose of making this charge.

Summary of Total Fees:

Declaration Late Filing Fee:

\$130.00

Extension Fee:

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Additional Claim Fee:

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Total:

\$130.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any over-payment to Deposit Account 19-2746.

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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- · U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- · Copy of references cited in ISR
- · Copy of the International Application
- · Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements
- · Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination

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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 20 months months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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